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The Honorable Charles S. Thomas
Secretary of the Navy
Navy Department
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Secretary:

Quite recently a series of tests were conducted near Florida by Naval operating forces at the request of this Agency. These tests were organized to investigate the use of certain special equipment in which this Agency is interested. The integrated co-operation of a number of ships and aircraft was involved.

Adm. Robert B. Carney, Chief of Naval Operations, is familiar with this project which I prefer, for security reasons, not to describe more accurately. I would like to extend to him our sincere thanks for his interest and co-operation.

We are particularly grateful to all of the officers and men who actively participated in this work which, I may add, proved entirely satisfactory.

Sincerely,

Signature

Allen W. Dulles
Director

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Honorable C. S. Thomas
The Secretary of the Navy
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Secretary:

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Thank you very much for your letter of May 27
commending Captain [redacted], USN for his fine
performance during his assignment as Executive Secretary
of the U. S. Communications Intelligence Board. Thank
you also for forwarding the copy of Mr. J. Edgar Hoover's
letter of commendation of [redacted] dated May 23,
1955.

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I am adding my own whole-hearted commendation to
those of yours and Mr. Hoover's and sending copies of
both letters to [redacted]. Copies will also be
placed in [redacted] official CIA Personnel file
and it is requested that copies be placed in his Navy
Personnel Jacket as well.

Sincerely,

SIGNED

Allen W. Dulles
Director

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MEMORANDUM FOR: [REDACTED]

Military Personnel Division advised me that it is necessary for Mr. Dulles to sign 5 copies of his commendation in order to properly distribute it for incorporation in Navy files. All 5 signed carbons should be sent to MPD who will handle from there.

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15 June 1955
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